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8 Attorneys for Defendants
9 American Overseas Marine Corporation
and General Dynamics Corporation

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11 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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13 FOR THE
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15 COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

16 KENNETH COUTURE,

17 CIVIL ACTION NO. CV05-0024

18 Plaintiff,

~~PROPOSED~~

19 vs.

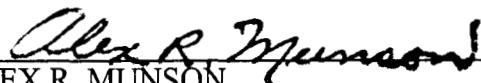
20 AMERICAN OVERSEAS MARINE
21 CORPORATION and GENERAL
22 DYNAMIC CORPORATION,

23 Defendants.
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**ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANTS
EX PARTE MOTION UNDER LOCAL
RULE 7.1.h.3(b) FOR AN ORDER
ALLOWING DEFENDANTS TO FILE
UNDER SEAL THEIR MOTION FOR
SUMMARY JUDGMENT AND
EXHIBITS THERETO**

25 Pursuant to Local Rule 7.1.h.3(b) and good cause having been shown, and there being no
26 objection from the Plaintiff, Defendants' Ex Parte Motion to Allow Defendants to file under seal
27 their Motion for Summary Judgment and exhibits thereto is hereby GRANTED.

28 Defendants' Motion for Summary Judgment shall remain sealed until February 9, 2007 or
until otherwise ordered by the Court, whereas the exhibits to Defendants' Motion shall remain
sealed until further or of the Court.

DATED: FEB - 6 2007.


29 ALEX R. MUNSON
30 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE